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Application No.: Not Yet Assigned)	
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For: DATA PROCESSING)	
APPARATUS, THE METHOD)	
AND CODING APPARATUS)	
(AS AMENDED))	

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE:

~~DATA PROCESSOR, DATA PROCESSING METHOD AND ENCODER~~ DATA

PROCESSING APPARATUS, THE METHOD AND CODING APPARATUS